

REMARKS


It is believed that the instant amendment places every uncanceled claim in condition for allowance pursuant to the Examiner's instructions in the Office Action.

Applicants believe that, for at least all of the reasons given above, the amended and new claims submitted herewith should be entered and are allowable over the prior art. As a consequence, they should also be passed to issue.

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In view of the foregoing, it is submitted that all of the claims as-amended herein are in condition for allowance. Early and favorable action is, therefore, earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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